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ADDENDUM # 3

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To: Contractors

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Reference: Security Fencing – Olympus and Timpanogos Facility
Draper Prison – Department of Corrections
DFCM Project No. 05082100

Subject: **Addendum No. 3**

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3.1 See Attached pages.

End of Addendum

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1. **Question:** The specifications call for hog ties on the bottom of the fence to the tension wire. Last time we changed that by change order at the end of the job to special twist ties that closed tight so there was no rattling.

Answer: Change to the twist ties.

2. **Question:** The plans call for the hoops for the tension wire to be parallel to the fence. This makes it extremely hard to feed the tension wire and to get a good tight line. It is recommended/requested to allow these to be turned at least 30 degrees to allow for better conditions.

Answer: Turn the hoops to at least 30 degrees.

3. **Question:** The fastener tamper proofing is the same as last time but the DOC wanted welding. Is the peening or thread scoring acceptable? What does the DOC prefer?

Answer: Change the peening or thread scoring to welding.

4. **Question:** The specifications talk about placement of structural fill. This job does not require "Structural Fill" as such does the striping of topsoil still need to take place? Or just the removal of the sod?

Answer: The sod shall be stripped from the site, the topsoil can be left in place and does not need to be stripped.

5. **Question:** In specifications section 02210-5 it says the Contractor is responsible for the compaction testing? This is normally covered by the DFCM. What is the case of this project?

Answer: The Contractor will be responsible for compaction testing.

6. **Question:** As with the last job the specifications for Trenching is a generic spec normally used for utility work not written for this type of project. Can a note be added officially allowing for excavation as deemed appropriate by contractor as long as it meets safety requirements?

Answer: See item No. 1 in Addendum No. 2.

7. **Question:** DeWitt is the only manufacturer approved for weed barrier fabric, could the manufacturer GCI be approved also please?

Answer: Any weed barrier fabric that is equal to the DeWITT PRO5 that is 5 oz., woven needle-punched material will be allowed.

8. **Question:** The grading of the gravel should be clarified to read something more along the lines of “the maximum planar variance in the gravel can not exceed 2” from grade break points (which must occur at security head locations)”

Answer: Concur.

9. **Question:** The security system is mentioned on the plans as happening the same time as the fencing, is this really going to be the case or is it before the fencing and we get to work around it again like last time?

Answer: The contractor shall assume that the security system will be installed at the same time as the fencing project.

10. **Question:** Specification section 03300 talks about floor hardener several times throughout. Is this being use on this job?

Answer: Floor hardener is not being used on this project.

11. **Question:** Center rails are mentioned in the specifications but not shown on the plans. For clarification there will be no center rail?

Answer: If center rails are required they will be added by change order.

12. **Question:** No intermediate fences are shown nor any fences from the man gate frames to the building are these not being installed?

Answer: See items No. 3 and 5 from Addendum No. 2.

13. **Question:** From the last experience it would be recommended to request at bid time from the contractor a unit price for additional razor wire work per linear foot by strand (single or triple).

Answer: If additional razor wire is required it will be added by change order.